

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY
PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES
NEWARK, NEW JERSEY
DECEMBER 17, 2014

NOTE: The Public Session was called to order at 10:00 A.M. by President, Shirley Birenz, RDH, MS

ATTENDANCE: The following members were in attendance:

Joseph Battaglia, DMD; Shirley Birenz, RDH, MS; Emil Cappetta, DDS;
Elizabeth Clemente, DDS; Peter Clemente, DMD; Nicholas C. DeRobertis,
DMD; Steven Goldstein, DDS; Roger Kriete, DMD; Beverly Kupiec, PhD,
RN; Richard D. Riva, DDS

OTHER ATTENDEES: Deputy Attorney General Miller; Executive Director, Jonathan Eisenmenger; Cecilia Moreira, Senior Management Assistant

ABSENT: Herbert Dolinsky, DDS

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: December 3, 2014 - Approved as amended.

II. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

A. Continuing Education:

The Board approved the continuing education committee report.

III. OTHER MATTERS:

1. (Hand-out) - ADEX - The Board reviewed the ADEX Informational Report dated December 17, 2014.

There was an inquiry as to whether New Jersey would be in favor of having New York hygienists join ADEX. In a motion by Dr. Battaglia, seconded by Dr. DeRobertis, the Board was in favor of including NY state as a member with voice only, but not vote.

With regard to allowing dentists from non-CODA approved schools to work as examiners within the United States, the Board was not in favor of this.

IV. ADJOURNMENT: The Board adjourned the Public Session and moved to Executive Session for advice of counsel and review of open matters (investigations and deliberations). When and if action is taken, it will be reported in Public Session.